

Puzzles - Week 2

Name _____

Date _____ Block _____

		2		3		9	4	
	3		9		4	1		6
						3		
5		6	3					
9				7	2			4
4					1	6		
	4	8			3			5
		7					9	
	6						1	7

Sudoku Puzzle

Presented by Puzzle Baron

Rated: Easy

			6					
6				2	1	7		
			9		8			2
	9		7	5		2		
3							6	
		2						8
	7							
		4		9	3		5	
			1		6	9		

Sudoku Puzzle

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Rated: Challenging

40**Easy +/−/×/÷**

2÷		8×	2−
1−			
6+			9+
1			

Ken-
Ken

Easy +/−/×/÷**77**

15×	3	2÷		10+
		2÷	1−	
40×				
	1−		2−	3−
	5+			

LOGIC PROBLEM 1

Old Flames

At their 25th high-school reunion, five women met up with their high-school boyfriends. For a moment, each woman felt a spark that rekindled her forgotten romance. Within a few minutes, however, each man said something different that doused her passion. Link up the women with their ex-boyfriends and discover what each man said to ruin the moment.

1. Cassie's ex-boyfriend (who isn't Richard) either forgot her name or told her that she had put on weight.
2. Wendy (whose old boyfriend isn't Matt or Richard) didn't talk to the former boyfriend who mentioned that he now has seven children.
3. The man who started criticizing everyone in the room (who isn't the ex-boyfriend named Alex) was never involved with Nona.
4. Richard isn't the man who mentioned that he's a cult member.
5. Marnie's ex-boyfriend is Drew.
6. Alex (whose old girlfriend isn't Wendy) didn't tell his old flame that she had gained weight.
7. Sarah's ex-boyfriend is either Alex or Matt.
8. Keith either forgot his ex-girlfriend's name or mentioned that he has seven children.

This chart can help you solve the problem. Enter all of the facts you can from the information given by using a check for a definite "yes" and a cross for a definite "no." Once you have a definite "yes," put a cross in all the other boxes in the row and column (up to a heavy line) that contain the check. By process of elimination, you will arrive at the correct solution.

	ALEX	DREW	KEITH	MATT	RICHARD	CRITICIZED	CULT MEMBER	FORGOT NAME	GAINED WEIGHT	SEVEN CHILDREN
CASSIE										
MARNIE										
NONA										
SARAH										
WENDY										
CRITICIZED										
CULT MEMBER										
FORGOT NAME										
GAINED WEIGHT										
SEVEN CHILDREN										

Answer on page 97

Garden Plans

by Shelly Hazard

Spring is in the air and four garden enthusiasts are eagerly making their plans for their spring planting. Each gardener is planning one large garden planned for vegetables and several smaller gardens for flowers. This year's planting will include one more vegetable and one more flower than last year's gardens had. As it happens, each gardener also plans to break ground on the garden on a different day. Use the clues to determine the full name of each gardener, what new vegetable and flower will be grown, and which day each plans to break ground.

1. Mr. Heart didn't plan to break ground on Monday. Patrick's last name isn't Lamb.
2. Marge didn't plant peas. The gardener, whose first name isn't Patrick, breaking ground on Thursday is planting corn and daffodils.
3. Toby Garick plans to break ground on Friday but he's not planting corn or azaleas.
4. The gardener planning on roses isn't planting on Thursday. Sharon Adler is planting peas, but not daffodils, and she isn't planting on Saturday.
5. The gardener planting on Friday isn't planting beans.
6. The gardener planting carrots will break ground after the gardener planting azaleas but before the gardener planting tulips and beans.

	Adler	Garick	Heart	Lamb	beans	carrots	corn	peas	azaleas	daffodils	roses	tulips	Monday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Marge																
Patrick																
Sharon																
Toby																
Monday																
Thursday																
Friday																
Saturday																
azaleas																
daffodils																
roses																
tulips																
beans																
carrots																
corn																
peas																

First Name	Last Name	Vegetable	Flower	Day

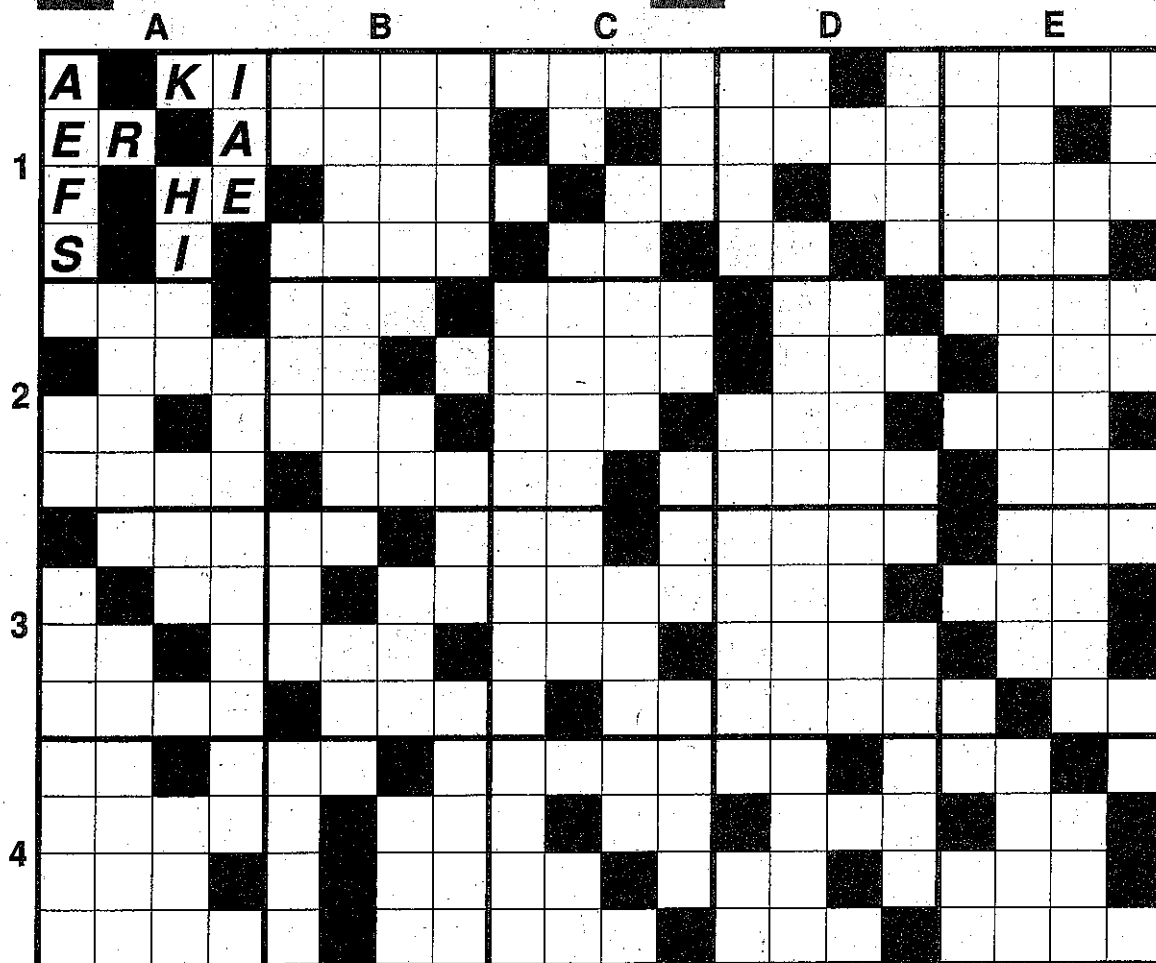
GRIDLOCK 1

This puzzle grid has been divided into 20 sections of 4 x 4 boxes each. The object is to place the letters into the grid so that a quotation can be read left to right, line by line. Reading across only, we have taken the letter groups in each 4 x 4 unit and listed them beside the proper heading. There are between 1 and 4 letters per group depending on how many black squares happen to fall in that unit. The black squares separate the words in the quote and will guide you in placing the letter groups correctly. The letters in the 1-A unit have been put into place to start you off.

Answer on page 95

1-A A A F I S ER HE KI
1-B KNE NDER SKED SURE
1-C A S W DO HI GART
1-D S S T EN HE NU TUDE
1-E I NT AID EACH MBER
2-A S EE CAN COM WHAT
2-B A ES AID COM YOU
2-C A ES THE FTER TELL
2-D ME BOY TWO FTER
2-E AND SIX THR WHAT

3-A E S HE SH SEV KNOW
3-B A E CO EN AID YOU
3-C A R ND NU YOU NTIN
3-D UED FTER MBER SURE
3-E S DO SA NIN TEN
4-A T ID DID AUGH COME
4-B A S T T AF GO HE YO
4-C J U MY OD TER EACH
4-D W W ER OB DAD TEN
4-E T HE HO HAT JACK



Fill-In 1

Fill-ins are like reverse crosswords. We give you the words, and you just have to find where they go. We've filled in one word to get you started.

Answer on page 91

3 LETTERS

AER
AND
ATM
AUX.
AXE
BOP
DEA
DIR.
EEE
ELS
EMO
EWE
IMP

LEA
LIS
LUM
MC'S
NIT
TWI

4 LETTERS

ADDS
ALOU
ARID
BART
ERIC
ETRE

ET TU
GOLD
GTO'S
LESS
LEWS
MELT
MITE
NERO
ODES
OLIO
RIAL
RITT
ROAN
SST'S

TONI
WREN

5 LETTERS

~~DALES~~
DEMME
LIBRO
MCCOO
TOMES

6 LETTERS

BORZOI
ENACTS
ENIGMA

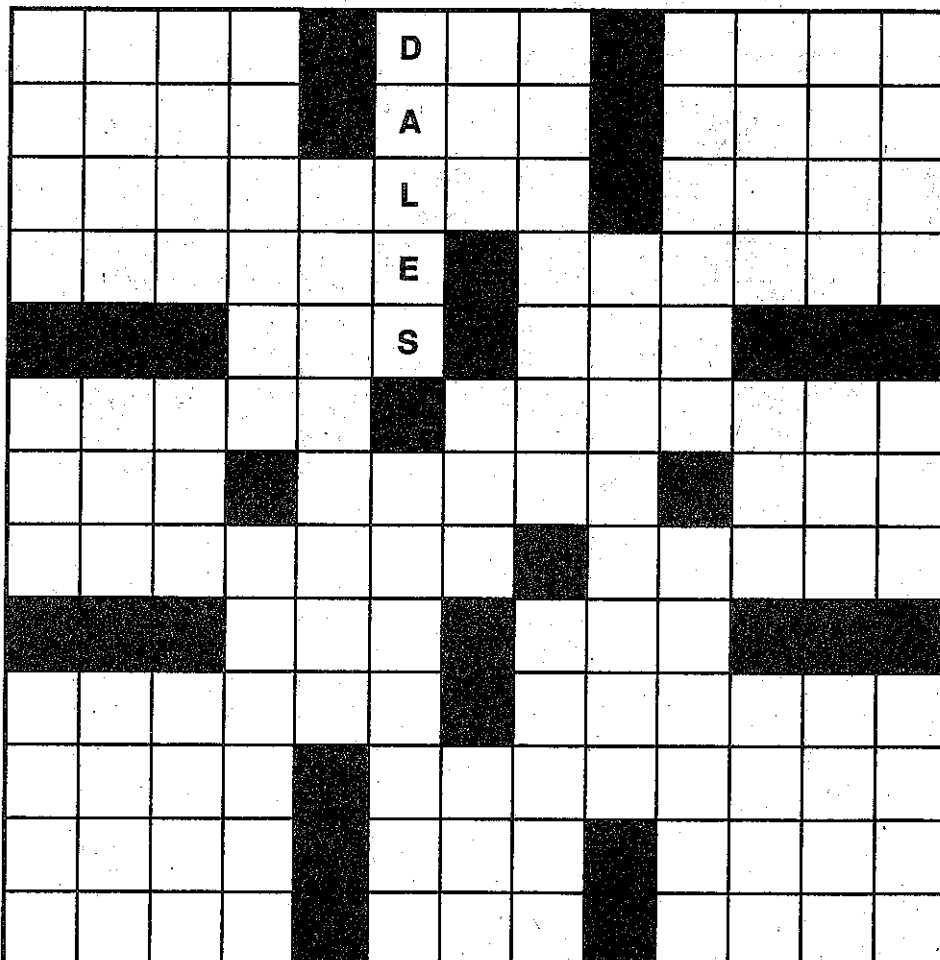
LAZULI
NAMATH
O-RINGS
SEEDER
SUNDAE

7 LETTERS

APPLIES
ARSENIO
CEDILLA
MICHAEL

8 LETTERS

LAMENTED
NICOTINE
PALOMINO
STEEPLES



Hidden Message Word-Find

Brrrr!

After you have located and circled in the diagram all of the words in the Word List below, read the leftover (unused) letters from left to right, line by line, to reveal an appropriate message written by Percy Bysshe Shelley. The words are found in the diagram reading forward, backward, up, down, and diagonally, and always in a straight line. The quote is given on page 93.

Answer on page 89



ARCTIC AIR

BIRD FEEDER

BOOTS

BUNDLE UP

CHILL

CHRISTMAS

COZINESS

DEEP FREEZE

FIRESIDE

GROUNDHOG DAY

ICE FISHING

ICICLE

NEW YEAR'S EVE

ROAD SALT

SKI TRIP

SLEIGH RIDE

SLIPPERS

SNOWMOBILE

SNOW SHOVEL

TIRE CHAINS

VALENTINE

~~PUZZLE~~ STRIKE OUT ~~GAME~~

Strike out words in the table below according to the instructions. When you are finished, the words that remain in the table will spell out a quote when you read them from left to right, top to bottom.

Answer on page 93

1. STRIKE OUT interjections in column B and row 6.
2. STRIKE OUT breakfast foods anywhere in the table.
3. STRIKE OUT board games in column E and row 9.
4. STRIKE OUT anagrams of "stale" in columns A and C.
5. STRIKE OUT surnames of actors named James in rows 2 and 5.
6. STRIKE OUT martial arts in column D and row 7.
7. STRIKE OUT words that rhyme with "goat" in column A and row 8.
8. STRIKE OUT titular characters of comic strips in column D and row 10.
9. STRIKE OUT shades of green in column E and row 3.
10. STRIKE OUT vehicles in column B and row 10.

	A	B	C	D	E
1	EGGS	AIRPLANE	SLATE	KARATE	RISK
2	FLOAT	A	MASON	GARNER	AVOCADO
3	LEAST	SHUCKS	JADE	MARMADUKE	MONOPOLY
4	TREE	WAFFLES	TEALS	NEVER	OLIVE
5	DEAN	WOODS	HITS	JUDO	AN
6	GOLLY	BOAT	NUTS	BLONDIE	LIFE
7	KICK BOXING	EUREKA	CEREAL	CATHY	TAE KWON DO
8	AUTOMOBILE	MOAT	QUOTE	EXCEPT	WROTE
9	STEAL	IN	CLUE	HAGAR	PANCAKES
10	SELF-DEFENSE	GARFIELD	TRAIN	MUFFIN	TROUBLE